

## Funeral For S. M. New

Sidney Montague New was born in South Wales in 1891 and passed away at Vancouver, B.C. on January 19, 1955 at the age of 63. He came to Canada with his parents in 1907 and settled on a homestead in the Irma district in 1907 where he farmed with his father until 1944. He then moved to Vancouver where he resided until his death. He was predeceased by his mother in 1912, his sister, Alice Lucy Dalton in 1934 and his father in 1950. He leaves to mourn his wife, his sister, Mrs. D. L. Robertson and his niece, Mrs. W. Hamilton all of Vancouver. Mr. New was highly regarded by all who knew him and will be deeply mourned.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, January 20 at the Mt. Pleasant Chapel, Vancouver, and on Saturday, January 22 from the United Church. Interment was made in the Irma cemetery with Rev. H. W. Inglis officiating. Pallbearers were C. Seward, B. Oldham, W. Clark, C. Younker, R. McFarland and F. Ford.

Floral tributes were received from: The Family; Bill, Gladys and family; Bob and Barbara Whiteley; Mr. and Mrs. S. Thompson; Elsie, George and Joan Snell; Roy and Bessie Moulton and family; Mr. and Mrs. Lim Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Chow Kee; Eileen and George Scott; Doris and George Benson; Em, Fred, Margaret, Jack, Jim, Colleen, Oliver, Stan and Diane; Ted and Clara Foxwell; Joyce and Ken Duncan, all of Vancouver.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Greenberg, Mrs. Irene Hardy; Miss Ceci Shaw; Jack and Alice Fletcher; Laurette and Merrill Salisbury, all of Edmonton.

With deepest sympathy, Jack Meg and Bob, Bill and Julie, Linda, Haden family; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford Sr.

Donation to the Crippled Children's Hospital, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shotts.

The Triangle Community Association will meet at Albert on Saturday evening, February 5. A social evening will follow a short business meeting—please, members, come on out and give a boost to your community organization!

## Glen-Coa Gleanings

Several of our young folk got home for a visit last weekend: Avis Satre from Edmonton, Margaret Pedel, and Erling Nilson from Camrose.

Cancer Fund: Wesley Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drivéwick.

To the Bethany Homes for Children: Mr. and Mrs. George Ford; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Youngker.

To the Alberta Protestant Home for Children: Charlie, Grace and family; Woody Clark; Mrs. I. C. Knudson; Mr. and Mrs. W. Masson and family; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shieck; Ted, Ellen Prior and family; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kellar; Frank, Alma and family; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford; Mr. and Mrs. Helen Jackson; Mr. J. A. Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Carrington, Vancouver.

## 4H CLUB LEADERS SHORT COURSE

The Club Leaders meeting was held at the Vermilion School of Agriculture on January 21 at 10:15 a.m. The speakers at the meeting were Miss Olson, Miss Meiva and Mr. Usher. The main topic of the meeting was on the highlights of Club Work for 1954 and Inter-Club activities for the district during 1955. Short talks were given by the club leaders telling what they thought was the job of the leaders and then Mr. Usher summed up the points the leaders had given.

Mr. Usher then talked on program planning. Everyone who attended the meeting got quite a few pointers as to improving their 4H clubs.

## Northern Nuggets Fine Weather For Ladies Spiel

Buffalo Coulee W.I. met at the home of Mrs. P. Miller on Thursday, January 20. Thirteen members answered the roll call with a subscription to Home and Country. The possibility of this W.I.'s putting on an amateur hour or variety concert in Irma sometime in March was discussed, but no decision was reached.

Mrs. R. McRoberts read an article entitled "An Economic View of Alberta." Next meeting—Mrs. W. D. Ramsey on February 17. Roll Call—Why I Belong to the W.I. Paper—Citizenship, Mrs. C. Ramsey. A complete program list for 1955 is published elsewhere in this paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Currie are the proud parents of a baby daughter born in Manville hospital on January 25. Diane Bernice.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Prior on the birth of a son at Mountain hospital on January 25.

District residents were sorry to hear of the passing of Mr. Monty New of B.C. Mrs. New, Mrs. Dorothy Hamilton and Mrs. Moullon, who were here from the coast for the funeral, we at present visiting at the home of Mrs. New's brother, Mr. J. Dunbar.

We are sorry to report that Miss Irene Larson has been a patient in Wainwright hospital for several days and that Miss Dixie Schreyer suffered a broken wrist while skating.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Kellar and Mrs. S. Coulthard have been recent visitors to Irma, going up to attend the funeral of an old friend.

About fourteen ladies attended Mrs. J. Clisell's Stanley Tea Friday afternoon, to see Mr. H. Roth of Lavoy demonstrate this kind of goods. Mrs. B. Allen,ooked a party for the young Miss Macmillan. Clisell of Wainwright was home for the occasion.

Don't forget the Triangle Community Association's Bings and Dance at Education Point on this Friday, January 28. First bingo—prize a bedspread and blanket.

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## Jarrow News

Mrs. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs and Debby of Edmonton were week-end guests at the R. Mark home.

Nine tables enjoyed "500" at the Batt School on Saturday night. First prize winners were Mrs. G. Bridgeman and Barry Holt. Congratulations went to Mr. C. Macleod and Mrs. J. Macleod.

Plan to take in the full course hot supper which will be served at the Batt school from 7 to 9 p.m. on Friday, January 28. This will be followed by a dance.

Mr. Hall, Supt. of Schools, was a visitor at the Batt school last Wednesday a.m. and visited the school at the Hartetic Col- dren during the afternoon.

Mr. Clarence Macleod has returned home from Calgary. She left little Billy at the Red Cross hospital for Crippled Children. She was left crippled following an attack of polio.

Bert, Todd and Faye Smith entertained the children of the district with a skating party at their home on Sunday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holt and Mack spent the week-end at B. Holt's.

Miss Olga Bruhaug of the Vegreville hospital is affiliating at the Charles Camell Hospital in the city for six weeks and enjoying the work there very much.

Jack Bovencamp has been a patient at the hospital for some time but we hope to see him about soon.

Bill Millar is a patient at the Wainwright hospital.

Mrs. Carl Ahlf of Edmonton accompanied her mother, Mrs. Whidden home again and spent a few days visiting with relatives before returning home.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to thank those who have helped during our sad bereavement, also for all the lovely floral tributes and donations. Special thanks to Mr. Frank Ford Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. C. Savard for having so kindly helped us in arranging for the funeral. Also thanks to Mr. Ingalls for his comforting words.

Mrs. S. M. New, Dorothy Hamilton and Mrs. D. L. Robertson.

## WANT ADS

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## TED SCHIECK KILLED IN DRILLING RIG TRAGEDY

Theodore Ellis Schieck, 23, of Camrose, lost his life Sunday morning in an accident at Dryden, Wainwright. Working on an oil rig, he had just gone on a shift shortly before, and was engaged in pulling the casing when a mishap occurred, and he was killed.

Well known in the Camrose district and much of the rest of the province through his activities with the Alberta Bible Institute quartet, "Ted" Schieck was one of the members of the quartet when they won the "Search for Talent" contest last spring. He had been active in the quartet for two years, while attending the Alberta Bible Institute during the past two terms.

Born in Wainwright, he finished his schooling there before moving to Cranbrook, B.C. with his family in 1940. With other members of the family, he came to Camrose two years ago, spending his time in courses at the ABI. Since graduating from there, he had driven a truck for Hwy 19 Transport, and a school bus for the Camrose S.D. until moving to Drayton Valley only a few weeks ago.

Surviving are his parents, who were holidaying in the States at the time of the tragedy; four sisters, Mrs. E. F. Redmond, presently of Camrose, Mrs. Irene Ewest, of Rocky Rapids, Mrs. Henry Bailey of Spokane, Wash. and Mrs. A. Schneider of Wymond, B.C.; and five brothers, Gordon, Nelson and Stanley, all of Camrose; Richard of Drayton Valley, and Donald of Nelson.

Funeral services were held on Thursday at 2 p.m. from the Church of God, with Hoveland's Funeral Home in charge.

An inquest has been ordered.

For Wednesday afternoon, and probably will be held in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Tessman at Camrose on Saturday, the 22nd.

Messrs. Wylie Brown and Alan Barker attended a B.A. Oil meeting held at Hardisty on Thursday, the 20th.

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### Spotlight on HEALTH

#### Science Features

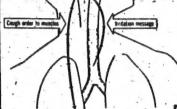
##### Why You Cough . . .

Coughing is caused by irritation somewhere in the respiratory system. But irritation itself will not make you cough. A tiny cluster of brain cells must first order the various muscles involved to provide the explosive force which causes coughing. (see illustration)

Science has now developed a drug, similar to morphine but non-narcotic, which can control coughing that has been caused by irritation in the body. This drug, known as dextromethorphan hydrobromide, or, more simply, Romilar, apparently is the first anti-cough specific since codeine was discovered more than 100 years ago.

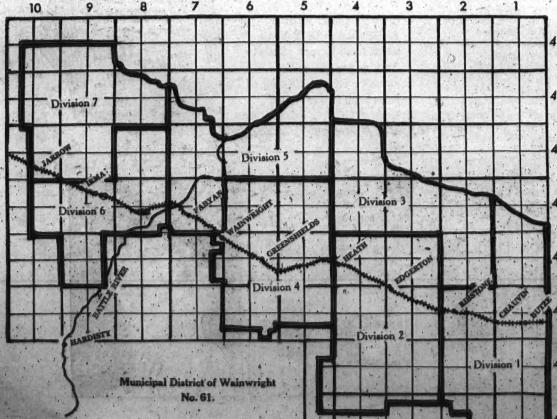
However, Romilar, being widely used under doctors' orders for the first time this winter, has none of the disadvantages of codeine. It is non-addictive, causes no nausea, drowsiness or constipation. A total of tests on more than 775 patients in 28 hospitals and clinics show that Romilar causes no bad effects on patients.

The chart above explains why you cough. Both the "irritative" and "non-irritative" coughs" are electrical impulses carried by nerves. The cough suppressant works by stopping or slowing down the electronic switching process by Hoffmann-La Roche Inc.



which the incoming signal sets off the cough signal. Codeine and Romilar seem to work alike, but the latter appears to affect only the "cough center." The new drug was discovered by scientists of Hoffmann-La Roche Inc.

## New Boundaries for MD of Wainwright



## Boundary Changes in MD of Wainwright

The Council of the MD of Wainwright No. 61 met in the Council Room of the MD on Thursday, the 23rd day of January, 1955.

Proposers: Dallyn, Castle, Patterson, Belanger, Garloch, Arthur and Archibald present. Reeve Archibald in the chair. This is the official record of the proceedings.

Belanger—that the Minutes of December 9, 1954, be accepted and approved as written. Cd.

### Finance

Garloch—that the accounts as recommended by the Finance Committee and subsequent Accounts received be passed for payment.

Secretary advised the Council that correspondence had been received from the Department of Municipal Affairs and attached copy of Ministerial Order altering the boundaries of this MD which was effective as and from the first day of January, 1955.

Also correspondence from the Department of Municipal Affairs and copy of Ministerial Order ordering a general election by Divisions of the MD. That the term of office of all Councillors shall be deemed to have expired on April 1, 1955, and the procedure of election by part 4 of the MD Act and that the terms of office of the elected Councillors shall be determined as set out in Section 31 of the MD's Act.

Dallyn—that the correspondence from the Department of Municipal Affairs and Ministerial Orders be received, that the Secretary write the Department to inquire as to what statistical data were used to line the new Divisional Boundaries of the MD on receipt of this information that the Reeve call a special meeting of Council prior to April 3 to discuss matters of Municipal importance. Cd.

The following Enumerators were appointed:

Division 1, D. H. Folkins, Edwin Dallyn, Ed Gordon.

Division 2, Gus Nelson, Palmer Taylor.

Division 3, Geo. Gibb, L. Hiffen, A. Worrellton.

Division 4, Geo. Turnbull, W. A. White, Frank McTurk, Joe Nicholson.

Division 5, John Roberts, W. Rathwell, C. A. Wright, Ashton Golding.

Division 6, G. Scott, C. E. Fenlon, A. Cook.

Division 7, C. L. Cudr, L. Savage, Geo. Bridgeman, I. Archibald.

Archibald—that this Council adopt the 1954 Assessment of Rural Lands as the 1955 Assessment subject to the 1955 Court of Revision. Cd.

Belanger—that the Reeve, Deputy Reeve and the Secretary be a Committee to meet with the District Inspector of the Board of Transport Commissioners at Jarow, Alberta, on Friday January 14 re application of the CNR to close as an agency their station at Jarow and that the Secretary file the MD's submission with the Secretary B. T. C. Ottawa.

Secretary—while at Jarow take up Butze and Edgerton Arthur—adjourn.

railway crossings with the Inspector.

Secretary reported that MD earnings with the Association 1953-54 year \$527,63.

In the matter of Municipal Insurance except hail and life, Secretary to watch the expiry dates of Policies and arrange with the Municipal Insurance Agencies Limited for coverage. Correspondence from the Golden Jubilee Committee and questionnaire, Secretary was instructed to complete the questionnaire with the help of any Councilor.

Correspondence from the Salvation Army Public Relations Department read and noted.

Arthur—that a map of the MD as at January 1, 1955 be prepared and published in the local papers showing the new Divisional Boundaries, also publish the Ministerial Order. Cd.

### Municipal Property

Arthur—that Secretary order three 3 quart weight 5 lbs. CO2 Fire Extinguishers at \$42.45 each through the Alberta Association of MDs for the Grader service Cd.

Dallyn—that in the matter of chits on the SW 20-45-54, same be referred back to Clerk for a report.

Dallyn—that Municipal owned lots in Central Park, Plan 1155 AE be advertised for sale by tender.

Patterson—that the Sydenham Mutual Telephone Co. be granted exclusive rights to build and maintain telephone lines within the subdivisions of Wainwright's Central Park, Plan 1155 AE, pt. NW 32-44-6-4 and to supply the residents of this subdivision with telephone services. Cd.

### Refief Grants and Health

Garloch—that the MD purchase 6 non ratepayer Wainwright Municipal Toolkit Tickets at \$10.00 each. Cd.

Archibald—that the U. of A. Hospital be advised that this District will accept no responsibility in the matter of Emil Vincent and that he be advised to appoint a Trustee to look after his affairs. Cd.

### Agricultural Service Board

Patterson—that the report of the Field Supervisor for the month ending December 31, 1954, be accepted. Cd.

Archibald—that the Supt. CNR be advised that railway cars are being spotted west of the sign at the Irma West Crossing and that the view for traffic from the south road of the railway line is being obscured.

Butze Crossing as for 3 months past has no traffic count, hence a monthly count April 1 to August 1, 1955.

Archibald—that the Secretary write the Administrator of the MD Minburn and the Secretary MD Flagstaff that the MD of Wainwright will take care of any snow ploughing that may be required to be done this winter in the additional area added to this District as from the 1st January, 1955, as this District has assumed responsibility of the area. Cd.

Garloch—that the paychecks be passed and paid when signed by the Clerk concerned. Cd.

Arthur—adjourn.

## Defeat Lentz Rink in G.C. Final



Pictured above reading from left to right: Geo. Anderson, skip; Bob Muirhead, third; Frank Mayne, second; Clive McBride, photo by Gladys Costford.

### Second Event

1. R. York rink of Killam.
2. Carmichael rink of Sedgewick.
3. Alf Hill, Geo. Cottrell, L. Westbrooke, Dave Henderson.
4. Bruhaug rink.

### Third Event

1. McMillan rink of Irma.
2. Viking Elevator Agents.
3. Fred Reishus, Ivan Messmer, Jim Hendrickson, Helmer Hanson.
4. J. Roddick, H. Place, F. Vollner, M. Toverud.
4. A. Burnham, Bill Robinson, Alfred Nordstrom, H. Olson.

Members of the Farmers Curling Club wish to express their appreciation and thanks to the following for their donations of services. Farmers Meat Market, Viking Post Office, Cash Store, Royal White Store, Golden Stoves, Fitzmazurice, Don Hollar, Viking Electric, Helmer Hanson, J. Hendrickson, Bank of Montreal, O.K. Store, Bill James, Dominion Cafe, Viking Cafe and the Viking News, and also to the rink caretaker Helmer Pederson who kept the ice in excellent condition throughout thespiel.

## Advertising Stimulates Trade



## STANDINGS E.A.H.L. AS AT JANUARY 21

Teams	W	L	T	Pts.
Viking	6	1	0	12
Vernon	3	2	0	6
Wainwright	3	2	0	4
Vegreville	2	3	0	4
St. Paul	0	6	0	0

## SCORING STATISTICS

Players	G	A	Pts.
Dunnigan, T.	8	9	17
Guilmette, Wain	5	11	16
Touche, Wain	8	7	15
Dunnigan, J.	7	6	13
Kreller, Verm.	4	9	13
Demchuk, Veg.	5	4	9
Hiroyuki, St. Paul	3	5	10
Proctor, Viking	3	5	6
Schmidt, Verm	2	6	8

### WITH THE CURLERS

(From The Viking News)

The Viking curling club was represented at the official opening of the new deluxe curling rink at Vegreville last Wednesday by a rink composed of Jack Slavik, Vince Slavik, Mario Piscia and Spike Hafso. The boys brought home glowing reports of the accommodations provided at the new curling palace that has six sheets of artificial ice and all the trimmings that will facilitate the playing of the roaring game come rain, shine, chinooks or sixty below.

Rinks skipped by Vince Slavik and Stu Trueman retained the A. and L. Lubert trophy here last Sunday afternoon when two rinks from Wainwright tried to pry it loose from the exalted place it has held in our rink for several years. It took Vince's last rock to hold it down, as both sides were tied coming into the stretch in the 14th end. The previous week, rinks skipped by Cecil Runyon and Lumin Dobry defended it against two other Wainwright rinks.

Did you know that the Kinsella Elks have reserved two sheets of ice at the rink for Sunday games among themselves. And they are certainly great enthusiasts of the roaring game.

On Sunday the Viking Legion rink is taking part in a District Playoff in St. Paul while the Gas Kings are taking on the St. Paul Hornets in a league game. St. Paul has strengthened up a lot and are making a bid to get into the E.A.H.L. playoffs.

FOR SALE — General Electric used washing machine, usable, \$15.00; one 5 1/2 ft. rolled rim porcelain bath tub, \$25.00. Apply Art Ronaghan, Viking. 19-266

A TIMES WANT AD PAYS





## OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY —

## ANTIQUE TABLE

By THOMAS H. MASSON

"**U**LT, Madam," explained the door manager of Gregory's Department store, "we can't locate the article you describe."

A young, thin, elegantly dressed foreign woman stood across the sparkling counter. She fumed; she fussed impatiently. He fumed; he fussed—but patiently.

"Tell me, tell you," she countered, "I bought a bedroom suite from this store. You guaranteed to put it away for me until we were ready for it in our new home."

"Yes, madam," replied the manager. "But I believe you said a moment ago it was just the table belonging to the suite that we kept for you."

"It isn't necessary to split hairs."

I ordered a double bed, a chaise lounge, a chair and a table. I have been dealing at this store for years."

"But you took the bed, chaise lounge and chair, and left the table with us."

"That is correct," conceded the woman.

"I don't know what could have happened to it," sighed the manager. "We are always careful with our records. Never has such a thing happened in this department."

The manager, a thin, plainly dressed fellow, wearing out-dated horn-rimmed glasses, scratched his head a moment. The large, substantially built woman let her eyes wander over the glistening counter. Her fingers traced a pattern on the glass top. The manager shifted from one foot to another.

"I demand to have that table!" shouted the woman.

People hurried about the store. It was not far from closing time and very little time was spent on the search. Again, however, less sharply dropped a bundle on the gaily tiled floor. Horrified, people bolted-necked upon the unfortunate, like an army of ants on a lump of wet sugar.

In half hour Saturday night would be over for the clerks. They all watched the clock, made its passage a minute longer than the lighting of the day. Everybody counted the minutes, except those searching for the big woman's table. Four hours had elapsed since she first came into the store and demanded the table at the counter.

As closing time approached the noise in the shop grew intense. It was hard to hear her rasping.

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At all drugstores

voice as she said, "Are your clerks all blind? I demand to have that table!"

A cuts young thing, fragrantly dressed together in a green frock, skipped up to the manager—the tired, ill-fed door manager with the horn-rimmed and out-dated glasses, standing on the other side of the counter from the exacting woman dressed in black. She stopped and felt from the pain trapped forwardly, then back—not sure whether to intrude.

"Yes, yes! What is it, girl?" demanded the manager.

As she spoke, her robes withered, the bright green faded, with a look of indignation. The pencilled black eyebrows raised in a note of expectation, and seemed to suspend themselves daring the tiny girl to say: "I am sorry, madam, but we have just not been able to find the table. The staff have searched the 'will call' room, stock department, the repair department and all the files."

The big woman fairly exploded. "You mean to tell me that all your employees are so stupid they can't locate my table? This is an outrage! I demand to have that table!"

The door manager, willed by these remarks, shrank from the woman across the counter and averted his puny physique before the sales girl.

He eyed her kindly and remarked, "This door has the best reputation for accuracy in Gregory's. It is impossible that you cannot locate madam's table."

"I demand to have that table!" added the big woman, who had unwittingly allowed her eyebrow to fall back in place.

The manager waved the tiny girl off once more, to the woman on the other side of the counter, and with an air of great confidence and "Madam, we don't like to do this—but—would help us greatly if you could show us our bill. Understand, there is no offence. We have to... well... it seems to imply."

The big woman sighed. "I'll give you my bill. I'll find it in my purse just now." "Wait a minute for lipstick, handkerchiefs, powder puffs, keys and compacts, and a billfold were straightforth deposited on the counter. She grabbed the billfold, which clinked lastly, and searched its contents.

"Here it is," she exclaimed.

The manager handled the yellowed piece of paper, looked at it a moment and then turned a delicate shade of blue around the entire division.

"Madam, this bill is dated 1938." (Copyright Wheeler Newspaper Syndicate)

## Funny and Otherwise

"Yes, my boy friend takes me to the museum every Saturday." "Really! What is he studying?" "Economy."

While spending a day in a picturesque Maine village an artist entered the general store and asked the proprietor if he kept camel's hair brushes.

"No, sir, we don't," the shopkeeper replied. "Please," he added apologetically, "we

Little Tommy awoke from his school with a black eye. "What's the matter, up to?" demanded his mother.

"I've been fighting Billy Briggs," the boy confessed.

"Well, tomorrow morning take him some cake and make friends," his mother told him.

He did not, but the following afternoon he came home with his other eye blacked.

"Good heavens!" exploded his mother, "who did that?"

"Billy did," said Tommy. "He wants more cake."

He doesn't have much call for 'em. Nobody in these parts keeps camels."

Making his first call after electric lights had been installed in the house, the electrical inspector found that scarcely any current had been used. Thinking something was wrong, he questioned the occupant.

"Don't you ever use the light?"

"Yes, we have it on every night."

"How long is it on?"

"Oh, not very long. Just long enough to see to light the lamp."

Some of the big trees in California live for 3,200 years.

## Alberta unifies two highway departments

Highway construction and administration in Alberta are now unified under one department with the transfer of the Motor Vehicle branch to the department of Highways.

Previously with the Provincial Secretary's department, the Motor Vehicle branch is responsible for such matters as traffic laws, driver testing, and the issuing of licence plates. The department of Highways has handled the construction and maintenance of highways, and the operation of the highway system in the province.

In an effort to provide more efficient service, the new branch has been organized in three divisions: the motor vehicle, operators' and the regulatory divisions.

Howard C. Clark, chairman of the Highway Traffic Board, has been appointed registrar of the branch, while still retaining his position with the board. Newly-appointed deputy registrars include C. Fritchard, motor vehicle division, and C. Tait, operators' division, and C. Kenway, regulatory division.

The motor vehicle division will deal with the registration of all motor vehicles in Alberta—including the issuing of licences for cars, trucks, motorcycles, buses, trailers and other types of licensed vehicles.

The operators' division will be responsible for the registration of all drivers and chauffeurs. This includes the issuing of drivers' licences, the licensing of new drivers, and the administration of the several provincial Acts dealing with embankments, lime, hills of sale, and accident indemnity.

The Highway Traffic Board will remain a separate entity but will form part of the regulatory division.

Wanda and Billy, Kenny and Sue. When asked what they would like to do

By way of a treat, usually say—“Let's go to grandma's house today!”

You'd wonder what there's to eat;

It must be something very nice. Well, it's not for an hour or so. Then off to each home they gladly go.

Wanda and Billy, Kenny and Sue Could let you in on a thing or two.

In her front room there's a pretty boy.

Added alike by each girl and boy. When it's wound up a tune they hear—

Gay music comes out sweet and clear.

They listen closely to the tinkly boy.

Hardly stirring from couch or chair.

Even little Wanda, just past three,

Sits still to listen; good as can be.

And grandma loves to hear them say—

"We'll be back to hear it another day!"

The poorest women drivers usually had a husband or a teacher.

They have trouble with plates

that slip, rock and cause more spills.

application makes plates fit respectfully.

Wanda and Billy, Kenny and Sue.

Manitoba's game commission.

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